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Lieutenant-Governour and Commander in Chief,
Province of the *Massachusetts-Bay*

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HEREAS, notwithstanding the Methods used by the *Western Tribes*, inhabiting the *Eastern Parts* of this Province, and in Peace and Friendship with His good Majesty's Government in enduring many Acts of Violence against their solemn Treaties, they have at length perpetrated upon the innocent People inhabiting our Frontier, the Cruelties and Violations of Treaty which have constrained this Province to take Arms against them; And whereas divers of the *Western Tribes* of *Indians* have been seduced into the Interests of the *French*, by various Artifices and unbecomingly treated by the *French* Nation; Which distressed the just Displeasure of Almighty G O D against this People;

W e have thought fit with the Advice of His Majesty's



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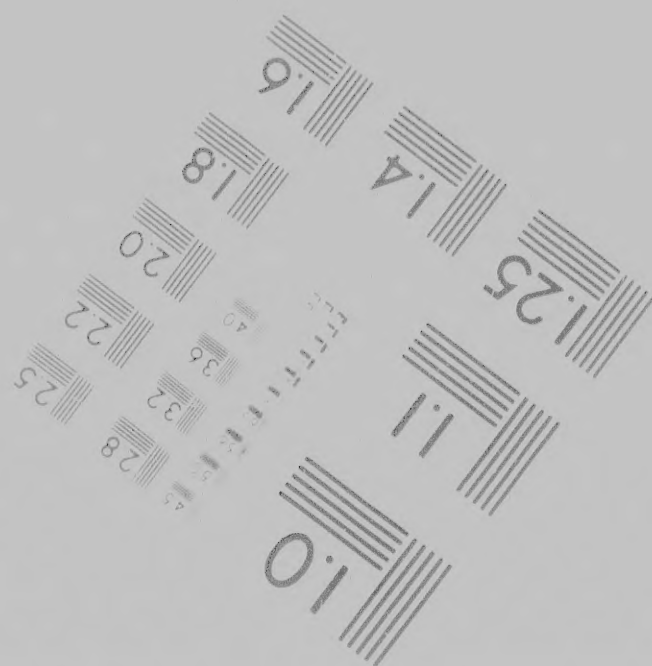
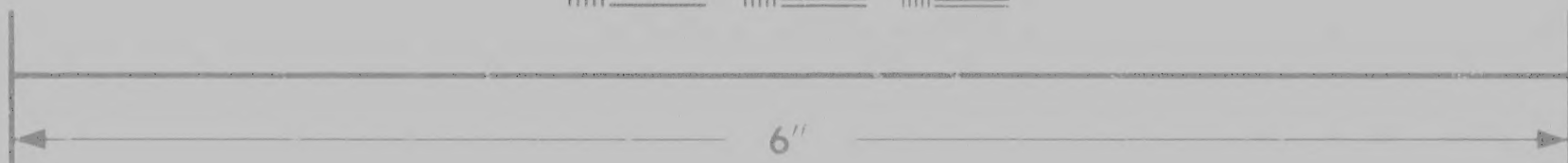
er in Chief, for the Time being, of His Majesty's
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the Methods used by this Government to retain the *Indian*
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Ay Acts of Violence, committed by them in open Breach of
have at length perpetrated cruel Murthers and other Outrages
habiting our Frontiers; And other Murthers have been also com-
on the Inhabitants of the inland Parts of this Province;
e constrained this Government to declare War against the said
n Tribes of *Indians*, who have from the earliest Times lived
s of these Provinces, are now in great Danger of being seduced
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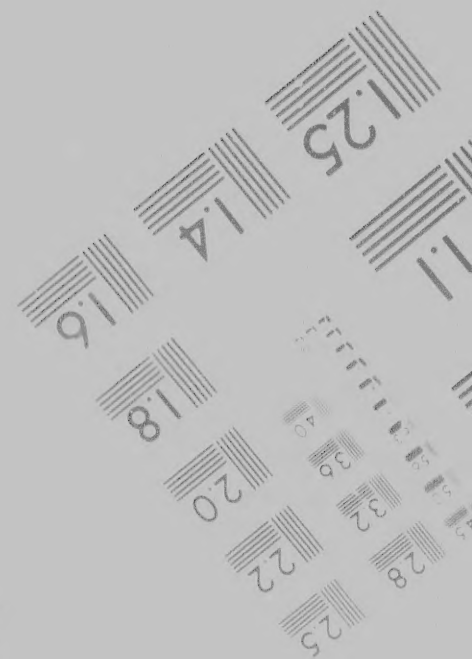
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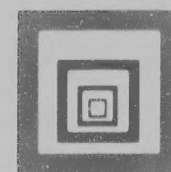
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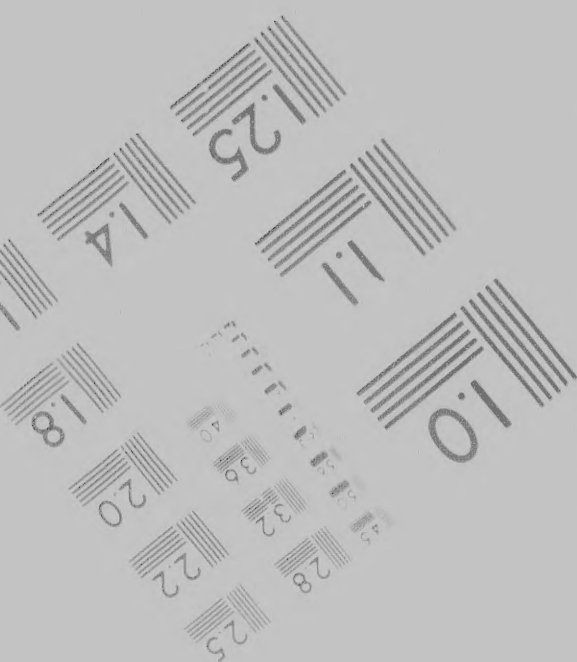
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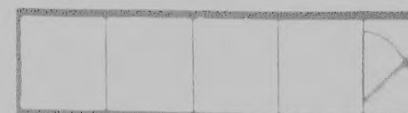
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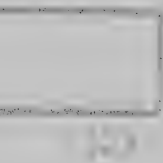
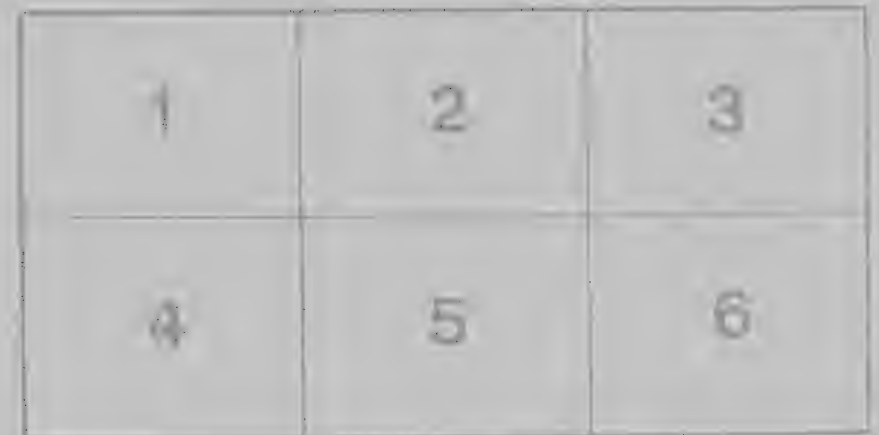
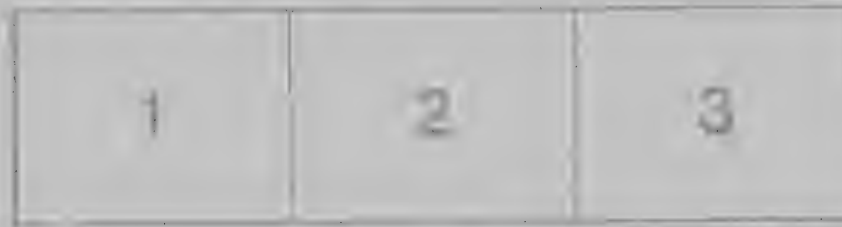
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And Prayer throughout this solemnity, hereby
 to make humble and penitent Confession of th
 of GOD thro' CHRIST for the pardon thereof, and
 tecton and Favour; That it would please GOD t
 the Rage and Fury of the Enemy, and direct and
 tion of the War against them, and lead our For
 them into our Hands; That it would please GO
 Enemies for withdrawing the Affections of the
 hitherto lived in Peace with us, and graciously d
 be used for confirming the said Tribes in their F
 pleased to guard our Sea-Coasts and protect our
 and bless His Majesty's PERSON and Royal Issue,
 Victory to his Arms against the common Enemy
 Excellency the Governour may be directed and succe
 transacting at *Louisbourg* and returned in Safety:
 Supplications for these great and important Bless
 the LORD from the Consideration of his Infinite
 extraordinary Experience we have had of his grac
 humbly trust) making this poor unworthy People
 our *French Enemies* and much weakning their
 World; Above all, That GOD would be pleased
 Righteousness upon us, and make us a truly humble.

And all servile Labour and Recreations are fo

Given at the Council-Chamber in *Boston*, the Sixth Day o
 of our Sovereign Lord *GEORGE* the Second, K
 KING, Defender of the Faith, &c.

By Order of the Honourable
 the Lieutenant-Governour,
 with the Advice of the Council,
 J. Willard, Secr.

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...humble, getting together our own people
confession of their Sins, and to implore the Mercy
thereof, and earnestly to supplicate the Divine Pro-
vide GOD to guard our exposed plantations from
and direct and assist this Government in the Prosecu-
tion of our Forces to their lurking Places and deliver
to please GOD to defeat the Counsels of our *French*
allies of the *Western Tribes of Indians* who have
and graciously direct and succeed the Affairs that may
be in their Friendship to us; That he would be
and protect our Trade and Fishery; and also protect
our Royal Issue, and that he would give Success and
Union Enemy of the Peace of *Europe*; and that his
acted and succeeded in the important Affairs he is
and in Safety: And that in our humble and fervent
important Blessings, we may encourage our-selves in
of his Infinite Power and Goodness, and the late
and of his gracious Answer to our Prayers (as we
worthy People Instrumental in humbling the *Pride of*
winning their Power and Influence in these Parts of the
and be pleased to pour out his SPIRIT and rain down
truly humble, obedient and thankful People.
ceremonies are forbidden on the said Day.

...on, the Sixth Day of September 1745. In the Nineteenth Year of the Reign
of GEORGE the Second, by the Grace of GOD, of Great-Britain, France and Ireland,
King.

S. PHIPPS.

Save the KING.

Printer to His Excellency the GOVERNOUR and COUNCIL.

